


REMARKS

A petition to claim benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of the prior copending provisional application is concurrently being made with the Office of Petitions, which includes the fee and requirements set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.78. Applicant states that the entire delay between the date the claim for the benefit of the earlier application was due under paragraph (a)(5) of 37 C.F.R. § 1.78 and the date this claim is filed was unintentional. The present application was filed within one year of the filing date of provisional application 60/440,603 from which priority is being claimed.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0630 for additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17; particularly extension of time fees.

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